2026 LSTAR SCHOLARSHIP AWARD APPLICATION FORM

BASIC PHILOSOPHY

- This scholarship aims to recognize students planning to attend university, college, or apprenticeship programs.
- Four awards of $2,500 each will be awarded to four winners annually
- Eligible applicants should demonstrate solid academic achievement, a high level of involvement in school or the community, maturity and responsibility and initiative and/or strength of character

RULES OF SCHOLARSHIP

- Eligible applicants must be in their last year of high school or not to exceed 2 years following high school graduation, and must not already be entered into a degree granting or an accredited institution
- Eligible applicants must be registered and scheduled to attend a degree granting, or an accredited institution
- Eligible applicants must be the children, grandchildren, stepchild/step-grandchild, or under the legal guardianship of members of the London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS® or of members' staff

SUBMISSION REQUIREMENTS

- All application forms and supporting documents must be submitted electronically. No hard copies accepted.
- All application forms must be for the current year. Application forms from past years will not be accepted.
- All application forms must be typed and emailed electronically. Handwritten copies will not be accepted.
- All application forms must be in word or PDF format, and unlocked with all password security removed
- All submissions MUST include an electronic copy of the following supporting documents:
    - Ontario Student Transcript
    - Last Mid-Term Report Card (showing all completed Grade 12 courses to date)
    - Credit Counselling Summary (proof of volunteer hours and absence hours/days)

BASIS FOR SELECTION

- Scholarship winners are based on merit
- Winners will be determined by a selection task force
- All applicant personal information will be blacked out prior to being given to the selection task force
- The Selection Task Force shall consider an applicant's:
    a) Involvement in school and/or community,
    b) Future plans (career education).
    c) Work experience, if applicable; and,
    d) Difficulties overcome
- A runner-up candidate will be selected by the selection Task Force if any of the four winning candidates are unable or fail to register at a post-secondary institution. If the student registers the following year, they must reapply for the scholarship, provided they meet all rules and requirements.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MAY 29, 2026, BY 4:30PM

Applications received after the deadline will not be considered in the selection. Applications that arrive without all the required documentation will result in ONE phone call or email from the LSTAR Liaison to advise applicant of the missing document(s). However, the missing document(s) is/are still required by 4:30 p.m. on May 29th, 2026. No exceptions. It is the responsibility of the applicant to ensure that the proper documentation has been included. Applicants are encouraged to contact LSTAR after their submission has been made, to ensure all documents have been submitted if they have not received a response by at least 3 days after the deadline.

In compliance with Canada's privacy laws and the London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS® privacy policies and procedures, the personal information you provide us will be used only for the purposes of considering your application for a scholarship award and announcing you as the scholarship winner to Association members should that be the conclusion of the Scholarship Advisory Group.

COMPLETED APPLICATION FORM AND SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS MUST BE EMAILED TO CLAIRE DAWSON AT CLAIRE@LSTAR.CA

APPLICANT INFORMATION		
Applicant Full Name:		
Email Address:		
Phone Number:		
Home Address:		
City:	Province:	Postal Code:
Date of Birth:		
High School of graduation:		
Month / Year of graduation:	Month:	Year:
Name of associated LSTAR Member or Staff:		
Relationship:		
Email Address of LSTAR Member or Staff:		

CONSENT TO COLLECT, RETAIN AND USE MY PERSONAL INFORMATION

I understand, and hereby consent to the London and St. Thomas Association of REALTORS® (LSTAR) collecting, retaining and using the information provided in this application form for the purposes of the Scholarship Advisory Group considering me for a scholarship award and the LSTAR announcing to its members and the general public that I am the scholarship award winner if that is the decision of the Advisory Group.

I further understand that, although it is optional to me as to whether I provide my social insurance number in this application, if my application is accepted for a scholarship, I will be required to provide that information in order that I may receive the award as this information is required by LSTAR for reporting the scholarship award to Canada Revenue Agency.

In the event that my application is selected I hereby consent to my photograph and information contained in this application being disclosed in future Bulletins and/or press releases of LSTAR to announce that I am a scholarship winner. If my application is not approved for scholarship, the application form and photograph provided will be destroyed.

Applicant's Signature:		Date:	
Parent/Guardian Signature:		Date:	

(If applicant is 17 years of age or younger)

Please be advised that in order for the scholarship to be granted, confirmation of the successful candidate's enrolment into a degree-granting or an accredited institution must be provided. In addition, the successful candidate must provide LSTAR with his/her SIN number to receive the scholarship.

APPLICATION FORM

(All answers are restricted to one page per question; No additional pages accepted)
Please be sure to elaborate and use clear and concise sentences.

1. Outline your educational and career plans:

2. Describe your involvement in school activities, community service, extracurricular programs, or work experience:

3. What drove your decision to participate in these activities, and how do you believe you have benefitted from your engagement?

4. Outline any challenges or difficulties you have encountered or are currently dealing with:

5. Why do you feel you should be selected for this scholarship?

APPLICATION CHECK LIST:

- ☐ Application MUST be typewritten
- ☐ I have included my Ontario Student Transcript
- ☐ I have included my Last Mid-Term Report Card (showing all completed Grade 12 courses to date)
- ☐ I have included my Credit Counselling Summary (proof of volunteer hours & absence hours/days)
- ☐ Application form and all supporting documents MUST be emailed to Claire@LSTAR.ca (hard copies will not be accepted)
- ☐ I will follow up in 3 business days of submitting my application form if I do not receive confirmation from LSTAR that it has been received.